

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

JERRY L. FLINT NORMAN J. PROBST

NAGABHUSHANA G. GUBBIGA

Serial No.: 09/264,775

Filed: March 9, 1999

For: TANK MIXTURES AND PREMIXTURES

FOR WEED CONTROL PROGRAMS
THAT INCLUDE POST-EMERGENCE
APPLICATION OF GLYPHOSATE PLUS

GRAMINICIDES IN GLYPHOSATE

TOLERANT SOYBEANS

Group Art Unit: To Be Assigned

Examiner: To Be Assigned

Attorney Docket: MOBT:174---

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

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BOX MISSING PARTS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

May 28, 1999

on the date below:

Vikki Meriwether

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING
37 C.F.R. 1.8

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the

U.S. Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231,

Applicant received a Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed March 31, 1999, with a due date for response of May 31, 1999. In response, Applicant submits the following items:

- (1) Declaration executed by Jerry L. FLINT, Norman J. PROBST and Nagabhushana G. GUBBIGA;
- (2) Check in the amount of \$944.00 to cover the basic filing fee (\$760.00), additional claim fees (\$54.00), and the surcharge for delayed filing of the Declaration (\$130.00);

(3) Return copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application; and



Applicant also submits the following items for this application:

- (4) Correspondence Address, Election Under 37 C.F.R. §§ 3.71 and 3.73 and Power of Attorney;
- (5) Assignment to Monsanto Company, Recordation Form Cover Sheet and a check in the amount of \$40.00 to cover the recordation fee; and
- (6) Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449, Refs. A1-A9 and C1-C3.

If the check is missing or insufficient, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any required fees, including any extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. <u>01-2508</u>, Order No. <u>MOBT174/PAT</u>.

Please date stamp and return the enclosed postcard to acknowledge receipt of the enclosures.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: May 28, 1999

Reg. No. 28,246

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